



REPORT TO THE MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS: AUGUST 2022

The Office of Accountability and Efficiency (OAE) was established to enhance transparency, oversight, and accountability to the District's financial operations; to evaluate fiscal performance; and to recommend solutions in furtherance of fiscal stewardship of Milwaukee Public Schools. Each month, the OAE monthly report will provide a highlight of one area of the OAE Work Plan and Work Plan progress from the previous month.

During the reporting period, the Office of Accountability and Efficiency began the analysis of FY22 activities, outputs, and outcomes. A final report on work completed as part of the FY22 Work Plan will be transmitted to the Board upon its completion.

Accountability and Efficiency Services

During the reporting period, Accountability and Efficiency Services updated and conducted staff training on the fulfillment of requests for impartial hearing officers as set forth in the employee handbook.

Accountability and Efficiency Services also continued to support the District's implementation of Administrative Policies 3.09 and 6.35.

Contract Compliance Services (CCS)

On August 4, 2022, CCS staff had the pleasure of providing a day of professional shadowing to one of our intergovernmental partners. During the day, staff provided an overview of CCS processes utilized to assign Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUB), Communities in Need (COIN), and Student Engagement requirements to district bids/RFPs. The exercise allowed the team not only the opportunity to showcase our processes to our colleagues, but also share resources and tools utilized to assign participation assignments. Additionally, CCS and our partner shared best practices to ensure we are on the right track to continuously provide healthy and robust programming for the community.

During the reporting period, CCS provided one-on-one compliance trainings to multiple contractors completing ESSER general construction projects. B2G Now, our real-time compliance tracking system, allows contractors to report data monthly and ensure full compliance to the CCS requirements. CCS trainings go a step further to include not only technical support, but opportunities to assist with COIN and student placement.

Additionally, six students completed their summer internship with Reflo Sustainable Water Solutions. The students celebrated their accomplishments during a graduation ceremony on August 5, 2022.

Contract Compliance Services continued to support the District's implementation of Administrative Policies 3.10 and 3.13